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# FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2005

 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
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<i>Complete if Known</i>	
Application Number	09/890,435-Conf. #1777
Filing Date	July 30, 2001
First Named Inventor	Morio YOSHIMOTO
Examiner Name	G. Eng
Art Unit	2643

Attorney Docket No. **1163-0350P****METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

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<b>Application Type</b>	<b>FILING FEES</b>		<b>SEARCH FEES</b>		<b>EXAMINATION FEES</b>		<b>Fees Paid (\$)</b>
	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Small Entity</b>	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

**Small Entity**Fee (\$)  
50      25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200      100

Multiple dependent claims

360      180

<b>Total Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>
- 20 =	x	=	

<b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>	
<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>

<b>Indep. Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>
- 3 =	x	=	

<b>Fee (\$)</b>	<b>Fee Paid (\$)</b>

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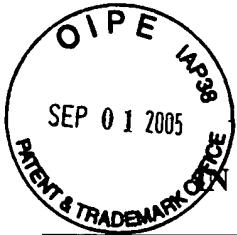
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Docket No.: 1163-0350P  
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In re Patent Application of:  
Morio YOSHIMOTO et al.

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For: VIDEO ENCODING/TRANSMITTING  
DEVICE, VIDEO RECEIVING/DECODING  
DEVICE, VIDEO  
TRANSMITTING/RECEIVING DEVICE, AND  
VIDEO TRANSMISSION SYSTEM

Examiner: G. Eng

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**(SUBMISSION AFTER FINAL REJECTION)**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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September 1, 2005

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, applicant(s) hereby submit(s) an Information Disclosure Statement for consideration by the Examiner.

I. LIST OF PATENTS, PUBLICATIONS OR OTHER INFORMATION

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II. COPIES

Copies of cited U.S. patents and patent application publications are not included. Copies of foreign patent documents and non-patent literature are included.

**III. CONCISE EXPLANATION OF THE RELEVANCE**

(Check at least one box)

- a. DOCUMENTS IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE - The patents, publications, or other information listed on the attached PTO SB08 are in the English language and therefore, do not require a statement of relevancy.
- b. DOCUMENTS NOT IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE - A concise explanation of the relevance of all patents, publications, or other information listed that is not in the English language is as follows: English Abstracts attached to each reference.
- c. ENGLISH LANGUAGE SEARCH REPORT - An English language version of the search report or action that indicates the degree of relevance found by the foreign office is attached, thereby satisfying the requirement for a concise explanation. See MPEP 609(III)(A)(3).
- d. OTHER - The following additional information is provided for the Examiner's consideration.

THIS IDS IS BEING FILED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(d): After the mailing date of a Final Action under § 1.113. See the Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e).

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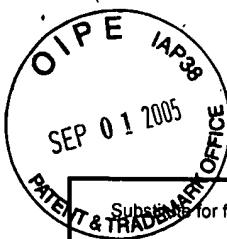
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Attachment(s):

- PTO-SB08
- Documents (3)
- Foreign Search Report
- Fee
- Other: English Abstracts (3)



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BA	JP-10-285047	10-23-1998			✓
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